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I am a candidate for representative from the St district, subject to the decision of the Republica convention, to be held august 25. R.A. HASTE. d a wt

Please announce the name of E. W. Phillips, o Scient township, as a candidate for representative from the 8d district, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention, held in Wichita [West Side] August 24.

I am a candidate for state scuator in this district abject to the decision of the Republican conven-ion. d & w 50: O. H BENTLEY. Editor Eagle: Please announce me as a candidate for re-election to the position of county attorney subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be held in Wichita August 2, 185.

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G. W. C. Jones.

I am a candid the for representative from the Sind flatrict, subject to the decision of the Republican curvention. discontinuous Geo. L. Douglass.

H. I. Taylor is a candidate for the nomination of Pr-base Judge, subject to the approval of the Re-unblican county convention. dbs. I am a candidate for county afterney. I am a Be-publican and stand squarely on the Begublican platform of Kansas, and thus standing, respectfully ask of the Bepainicans of Sengwick county the nomination for county attorney. I. P. CAMPBELL, d 51

Please announce tay name as a candidate for Representative of the Sol district, subject to the decision of the Republican convention to be held August 21, 1888. dis John R. WALLACE.

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Please announce A. B. Wright as a candidate for re-election to the office of clerk of the District Court; subject to fine decision of the Republican nominating convention.

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in fact, a more desirable commodity of the matrimonial market than the latter, from various standpoints; for, in addition to her other charms, her father, instead of requiring purchase money at her lover's hands, gives a dowry. She is the object of a good deal of chivalrous attention from her male relatives, which surrounds her with an additional halo of romance, and suggests to some extent the devotion and chivalry of ancient Greece. If her father be a man of limited fortune, her brothers consider it a point of honor to contribute their own little savings toward making her marriage portion up to a re-

THE BALKAN PENINSULA.

peasant women are less employed in the drudgery of field work than either their

easant Woman—Her Weakness. The Greek women impressed me as being the brightest and most intelligent

spectable sum.

Although the Greek peasant woman works less in the fields, this does not mean that she is wanting in industriousness. If her hands are less employed with the hoe or reaping hook, they are deft enough in weaving and spinning the rude native textures for clothing the family. She also acquires ready expertness in trimming and training the grape vines, making wine, butter, cheese, and all the lighter work about the farm.

The holiday costume of the Greek peasant woman is picturesque enough, but in one feature at least it seemed to me rather wanting in gracefulness. On her head is worn either a gaudily colored silk kerchief or a small cap, elaborately embroidered or strung with coins. A short, rakish looking jacket of green or blue cloth is profusely trimmed with gold braid. Down the back, and often falling within a foot of the ground, are long, luxuriant black tresses, usually in two braids. From the waist down her costume is highly suggestive of an inverted balloon. Whether to call the garment skirt or pantaloons was always question with me. From the waist downward it gets fuller and fuller until it terminates in the "bulge of the balloon," with a hole in either side at the bottom, through which the feet appear. When walking, the "bagginess" of this garment waggles about like the tail of a duck, which few, I believe, have ever thought to be the poetry of motion.

The Greek female, charming though

she is on general principles, and, more-over, a devoted wife and mother, has her little weaknesses. The women that chatted and laughed and showed their rows of pearly teeth to me were nearly all addicted to the use of the cigarette. The way they glanced over one another's apparel also led me to believe them vain and envious of their neighbor's superior, or fanciedly superior clothes. This I subsequently learned to be a pronounced trait of their character. Their love of finery, of outshining their neighbors and acquaintances in georgeousness of apparel, is one of their strongest ambitions. Few Greek women are so poor but that they manage to keep one costume, made gorgeous with gold thread and elaborate embroidery, to appear in on gala days or when visiting the city. The enterprising Greek maiden, away off in some obscure agricultural community, manages somehow to keep herself informed of city fashions, and, after a manner, to follow them. - Thomas Stevens in

In Guatemala chocolate has always varying thickness, and during the adgoverned from 1840 to 1865, the fertile these chocolate cakes. At this time throughout Central America the Jesuits ing the clouds gathering which burst with such fury upon them in Barrios' rise, they determined to transfer their immense stores of gold to European and other foreign stations of their order, but gold. To evade this they decided to ship chocolate, and in the secrecy of their their own houses they molded thirtytwo ounces of gold into each cake of chocolate, placed the cargoes on pack mules under trusted men, and sent them to Livingston, the nearest port, for shipment to Europe. A vigilant officer at that port discovered the fraud, and the government conficated the entire lot, over \$400,000, and, strangely enough, it. The same idea was not tried again, but who knows how many times it had

A matrimonial discovery on the east side is that of a store kept by a woman who, as a feature of her business in portions of bridal outfits. She enables a girl of moderate resources to go on a town, happy in the wearing of those portions of a trousseau as elegant as might content a Fifth avenue belle. Fine textures, elaborate embroidery, and all the whimsical frills known to lingerie, are at her command on rental. At an outlay of five or six dollars she can buy a month's use of these beautiful and soul satisfying garments. The proprietor said that she was doing very well in that line. She had in stock a dozen outfits, as cheap as \$2 to as dear as \$10 per month, and most of the time they were hired out. She altered them to fit her customers, and freshened them up by new embellish-ments as fast as they showed wear.—

According to Dr. Howship Dickinson, a furred tongue is not necessarily an alarm-ing symptom. To some persons it is normal to have a clean tongue, and to others equally normal to have a coated tongue, so that it is impossible to fix any degree or limit of coating as a necessary accompaniment to perfect health.—New York Mail and Express.

There is a thriving industry at Nichewang in Petersham, where ornamental articles are made from rare woods grown in this country and abroad. The proprietor has in stock a wheel belonging to a chariot in Egypt which shows the rude workmanship of those times. A lover of interesting relies has brought to the shop a piece of an old whipping post which stood in Richmond, Va., in slavery times. Some pretty articles were turned out from this interesting piece of wood.—

SEX AND CRIME

MEN ARE MORE PROMINENT, CRIM INALLY, THAN WOMEN

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From the circumstance that a much smaller number of women than men are convicted of crimes the conclusion is drawn that their criminal propensities are weaker or are under better control. It is seldom taken into consideration that young girls are watched more carefully then boys and are been then boys and are kept under greater re-straint. Neither is it taken into the account that older females spend almost all their time at home while males of their own age are on the street or mingling with persons whose habits are not the best. Many of the temptations to crame come from business complications, in which women have no share. As women spend most of their time at home with their children and female companions they are less likely to be tempted to do acts of violence. Most homicides are the results of anger incited when persons are away from their homes and families. Violent quarrels generally take place in the street and not in the sitting room.

The history of crime, however, shows that most of the murders committed by the administration of poison are perpetrated by women. They show careful preparation and great deliberation. In almost every instance treachery is employed. The victim is generally invited to partake of refreshments supplied by to partake of refreshments supplied by one who is presumed to be a friend, and does so without the slightest suspicion. Murder by the administration of potson is the darkest of all crimes, but it is the one to which women have been addicted more generally than men in all ages and countries.

Statistics in relation to crime have never been executive compiled in this country, and till recently little attention has been given to classifying them. In Great Britain, however, the matter has received more careful consideration. In an extended review of criminal matters there during a period of fifty years the singular fact has been ascertained that men generally commit their crimes before they are forty years old, while women commit theirs after that period in their lives. In other words, men generally cease to commit crimes at the age when

WOMEN CRIMINALS INCURABLE. Another very remarkable fact has re-cently been contributed to a London paper by the chaplain of Clerkenwell jail. It is to the effect that women criminals are practically incurables. He has prepared a table extending through ten years and showing how many men and women have been convicted of offenses more than ten times during that period. During last year there were committed to the various prisons and jails in England and Wales prisons and jails in England had been 5,686 men and 9,764 women who had been committed not less than ten times pre-committed not less than ten times previously. Such its the case at a time when crime is rapidly decreasing, when the number known as criminals is constantly diminishing, and when there are 6,000 fewer inmates of prisons than there were

A partial explanation of this strange state of things may be found in the fact that women are more thoroughgoing in all things-good, bad or indifferent-than men are. They do nothing by halves. Be the matter the construction of a short cake, the making of a crazy quilt or the poisoning of a rival, she devotes all her time, knowledge and talents to it.

Doubtlessly a woman finds more diffi-culty in reforming, if she desires to do so, than a man does. The latter can go to a strange or distant place, raise whis-kers or shave off those he had, assume a different name and commence a new life.

If he is skilled in any branch of work he ment. A strange woman is always looked upon with suspicion, as it is presumed that she would prefer to live in the town where she was brought up and where her In Guatemala chocolate has always old acquaintances are. A man gets credit been made in the form of round cakes of for his enterprise if he goes to a new varying thickness, and during the ad-ministration of President Carrera, who self. Such is not the case with women.

The imperial service—I use the expression recommended by the civil service commissioners because it covers both the civilians and the administering soldiers have displayed for a century a rigid respect for promises and perfect pecuniary honor. Consequently, aided by the rooted Indian idea, that, power being of God, any one, however hostile, may honalways been able to hire Indian agents of all kinds soldiers, policemen and minor power, however, gives them no foot-hold. As 1857 showed, they have not dian soldiers bound to them outh, and while actually in service, and outside the ranks of their paid servants, they have nothing to de-pend on. There is no nation or tribe or hour of trial to stand by the white man's side; which has, so to speak, elected him as ruler; which, were the gurrison de-feated or withdrawn, could be trusted to die rather than the empire should fall. There is no native army that the imempire could summon with confidence; no native city whose inhabitants would risk a storm to protect them from being slain. — Meredith Townsend in Fort-

The cokiest spot is probably around the magnetic pole. I myself found 71 degs below—and moved camp twelve miles that day. Therefore it is quite pos-sible that at the role itself there is open

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"It is pretty cold, but one gets used to
it. There is a peculiar misunderstanding about such a low temperature in the
scientific world. I remember reading in
The Popular Science Monthly, which is
supposed to be accurate, a statement to
the effect that in such cold mest taken
from a builing rot will become like he the effect that in such cold meat taken from a boiling pot will freeze solid before it can be put into the mouth. That is nonsense. Why, I have been maked in a temperature of 69 degs, below. It was inside a snow but as I took off my clothes and got into a sleeping bag. It is the wind that plays the mischief with everythody; but, fortunately, the colder is gots the stiller it gets, and when It gets way down it's pretty quiet, I can tell you. But when you get back to the cadmary temperature, then comes the torture. When I got on the whaler and began to get south I suffered excruciations to get south I suffered excruciations. began to get south I suffered excruciatingly, and thought I should sufferate; a fish out of water was nothing to it."

way has decided. "in deforence to the prejudices of its American customers," to institute the system of checking bug-